



ARTS IN THE PARKS

Bloomington Parks come alive with entertainment this summer. Bring a blanket or a lawn chair and sit back and enjoy a variety of performing artists and special events. For more information or in case of inclement weather, call the Parks and Recreation 24-hour information line at 952-563-8878.

Park Locations

- Normandale Lake Bandshell, 84th St. and Chalet Road.
- Brookside, 10000 Xerxes Ave. S.
- Brye, 10500 Xavier Ave. S.
- Bush Lake Beach, 9140 E. Bush Lake Rd.
- Countryside, 10240 Blmngtn. Ferry Rd.
- Moir Park, 104th and Morgan Ave. S.
- Pond-Dakota Mission, 401 E. 104th St. Running, 9501 12th Ave. S.
- Smith, 8155 Park Ave.
- Sunrise, 9401 Bloomington Ferry Rd.
- Valley View, 9000 Portland Ave. S.

JUNE			
14	10:30 a.m.	Monday Mornings in the Parks, Magician Brian Richards	Running
17	7 p.m.	John Philip Sousa Band	Bandshell
20	1-4 p.m.	SANDCASTLES Wiggle, Jiggle and Jam; The Medicine Show	Bush Lake Beach
21	10:30 a.m.	Monday Mornings in the Parks, The Wonderful World of Woody	Brye
22	7 p.m.	Note-able Singers	Bandshell
24	7 p.m.	Flavor	Bandshell
28	10:30 a.m.	Monday Mornings in the Parks, Splatter Sisters	Bandshell
29	7 p.m.	Calhoun Isles Community Band	Bandshell
JULY			
3	5-10 p.m. 5-5:45 p.m. 6:30-8 p.m. 8:30-10 p.m. Dusk	SUMMER FETE Teddy Bear Band High and Mighty Bloomington Symphony Orchestra Fireworks	Bandshell
6	7 p.m.	Bloomington Medalist Band	Bandshell
8	7 p.m.	Tangled Roots	Bandshell
12	10:30 a.m.	Monday Mornings in the Parks, Minnesota Zoomobile	Moir
13	7 p.m.	An Evening of Classical Music, Artists of Thursday Musical	Bandshell
15	7 p.m.	Bavarian Musik Meisters	Bandshell
16	7 p.m.	Shakespeare in the Park: Measure For Measure	Bandshell
19	10:30 a.m.	Monday Mornings in the Parks, Dazzling Dave	Countryside
20	7 p.m.	Stann Bann Big Band	Bandshell
22	7 p.m.	Lehto and Wright	Bandshell
26	10:30 a.m.	Monday Mornings in the Parks, Bells and Whistles	Smith
27	7 p.m.	Twin Cities Show Chorus	Bandshell
AUGUST			
2	10:30 a.m.	Monday Mornings in the Parks, Wiggle, Jiggle and Jam	Sunrise
3	7 p.m.	Oxboro Free Church Praise Team	Bandshell
5	7 p.m.	Barbary Coast Dixieland Band	Bandshell
9	10:30 a.m.	Monday Mornings in the Parks, Schiffelly Puppets	Valley View
10	7 p.m.	Brio Brass	Bandshell
12	7 p.m.	Bloomington Swirlers Square Dance Club	Bandshell
15	1-6 p.m. 1-2:30 p.m. 3-3:45 p.m. 4:15-5:30 p.m.	BLOOMINGTON JAZZ FESTIVAL Brass Menagerie Red Wolfe’s “Ellington Echoes” Memorial Band Stann Bann Big Band	Bandshell
16	10:30 a.m.	Monday Mornings in the Parks, Juggler Mike Monson	Brookside
17	7 p.m.	Bloomington Good Times Chorus	Bandshell
SEPTEMBER			
18	10 a.m. - 4 p.m.	RIVER RENDEZVOUS Fall History Festival	Pond-Dakota

SUMMER FETE

Celebrate our nation’s freedom at the Normandale Lake Bandshell on **Saturday, July 3**, at **5 p.m.** Enjoy music, food and exhibits from the Bloomington Police and Fire Departments, and of course, the annual fireworks display at dusk. Park across 84th Street.

BLOOMINGTON JAZZ FESTIVAL

Take in some great jazz and refreshments on Sunday, August 15, 1 - 6 p.m., at Normandale Lake Park, 84th Street and Normandale Boulevard Park across 84th Street.

RIVER RENDEZVOUS . . . A STEP BACK IN TIME

Return to the 19th century with historic reenactments of life on the frontier on **Saturday, September 18**, at Pond-Dakota Mission Park, 401 East 104th Street. Highlights include musical performances, theater, games and demonstrations. For more information or to volunteer, call 952-563-8693.

AMERICAN CANCER SOCIETY’S RELAY FOR LIFE

Join in fundraising to eliminate cancer Friday - Saturday, August 6 - 7, at Lincoln Stadium, 8900 Queen Avenue South. For information, call Melissa Ungerman at 612-436-4382.

18-HOLE GOLF SCRAMBLE AND SCHOLARSHIP FUNDRAISER

This Bloomington Athletic Association fundraiser will be held on Sunday, **August 22**, at Dwan Golf Course, 3301 West 110th Street. Tee times begin at 11 a.m. Cost is \$65 per person and includes cart, food and prizes. Corporate sponsors and prize donations are needed. For more information, call Jim Hunt at 952-830-0908.

BLOOMINGTON CENTER FOR THE ARTS

Bloomington Center for the Arts, located in the Bloomington Civic Plaza, 1800 West Old Shakopee Road, houses eight organizations that comprise the Bloomington Fine Arts Council. For more information, call 952-563-4777.

BLOOMINGTON ART CENTER (BAC)

EXHIBITIONS

Hours: M-F 8 a.m. - 10 p.m.  
Sa 9 a.m. - 5 p.m.  
Su 1 p.m. - 10 p.m.

GREENBERG GALLERY

BAC Members’ **Juried Art Exhibition** will be presented **June 11 - July 16**.  
**A Fine Line** featuring Yuri Araj, Anne Spooner and Randy Walker will run **July 23 - August 27**.

ATRIUM GALLERY

Check out these three exhibits on the second floor:

- Through June 18, SUBTLETIES OF LIGHT** with Reid P. Galey’s stunning oil paintings of American landscapes.
- June 23 - August 6, RESURRECTION** with Artist Dennis Behr.
- August 11 - September 24, DREAMS OF AFRICA: AND OTHER EXPERIENCES**, with Artist Del Bey.

SUMMER FUN AT BAC

BAC’s Summer Camp program offers classes for youth, ages 3 1/2 through 9th grade, **June 7 - August 27**. Adults can also choose from a variety of classes. For information, visit [www.bloomingtonartcenter.com](http://www.bloomingtonartcenter.com) or call 952-563-8587.

GALLERY PLAYERS

The following performances are held in the Black Box Theater.

GREATER TUNA

Meet the hilarious inhabitants of Tuna, Texas. Directed by Dohn Thibault, this performance runs **Thursday - Saturday, June 17 - 19** and **June 24\* - 26**, at **7:30 p.m.** Tickets are \$12 adults; \$10 seniors/students.  
*\* June 24 show is ASL interpreted.*

WHO’S AFRAID OF VIRGINIA WOOLF?

A Reader’s Theater Production of the Edward Albee play, directed by Jon Stentz, will be held **Friday - Saturday, July 23 - 24**, at **7:30 p.m.** Tickets are \$7.

CONTINENTAL BALLET

Continental Ballet Company will offer beginning dance lessons and intensive classical ballet technique classes this summer. For information, call 952-563-8562.

MEDALIST CONCERT BAND

The Medalist Concert Band will perform three concerts in the metropolitan area in June and one on July 6 in Bloomington. *See calendar.* For a schedule, visit [www.medalistband.com](http://www.medalistband.com) or call the Center for the Arts.

NOTE-ABLE SINGERS

The Note-Able Singers will perform on Tuesdays at 7 p.m. on June 15 at Friendship Village, 8100 Highway Drive and June 22 at Normandale Lake Bandshell.

SUMMER FETE NEEDS YOUR ASSISTANCE

Use the envelope recently sent in your water bill or call 952-563-8877 for details on ordering Summer Fete T-shirts and buttons or to make a donation.